

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Bachler, Herbert  
Appln. No. : 10/676,629  
Filed : October 1, 2003  
Title : HEARING SYSTEM WHICH IS RESPONSIVE TO ACOUSTICAL  
FEEDBACK  
Conf. No. : 7839  
Art Unit : 2615  
Examiner : Saunders Jr., Joseph  
  
Customer No. : 00116  
Docket No. : TSW-36162

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT "D"**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated December 10, 2008 (Paper No. 20081205). The three-month period for responding to the Office action expired on March 10, 2009. Applicant requests and petitions that the period for responding to the Office action be extended for two months, through May 10, 2009. Please charge \$490 to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. TSW-36162 for the two-month extension of time fee.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.